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**Tropical Ecology, Arts, and Culture**

(Section for Liberal Arts Math/Science Credit)

Or

**Contemporary Art, Craft, Ecology, and Culture**

(Section for Studio Elective Credit from Art Education)

Travel dates: January 2-19, 2015

Fall class dates: Thursdays, 7-9 PM, fall term 2014

From the thriving cosmopolitan urban center of Bangalore to the restricted rural preserves of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands -- a tropical paradise of biodiversity with rainforests and mangroves to tramp, coral reefs to snorkel and dive, and beaches to probe and poke -- this course facilitates exploration of the aesthetics, ecology, educational innovations, and contradictions of contemporary Indian culture-in-rapid-transition. Soon to be the world's most populous country (projected for 2025) and with about 20% of its people between ages 15 and 24, cultural transformation is accelerating, led by a generation of highly educated young adults who have returned to the country from abroad following the world economic collapse of 2008. India, the world's largest democracy, is riding a wave of change as it struggles to meet local and global challenges.





## Travel Schedule

*January 2 - 4: travel from Boston to Bangalore via London  
Heathrow airport*

*January 4 - 7: Bangalore (Central South on the mainland)*

*January 8: travel to Port Blair, Andaman Islands (arrow A on  
the map)*

*January 9 - 14: Andaman and Nicobar Islands (Eastern Indian  
archipelago)*

*January 15: travel to Bangalore (arrow B on the map)*

*January 16 - 18: Bangalore (Central South on the mainland)*

*January 19: travel from Bangalore to Boston via London  
Heathrow airport*

## Info Sessions:

Wednesday, March 5, 2:30-3:30, Tower lobby

Thursday, March 6, 12:00-1:00 pm, Tower lobby

Friday, March 21, 12:45-1:45 pm, Kennedy Café

Monday, March 24, 6:45-7:45 pm, South

Admissions Conference Room

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